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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re the Application of:

TORU MATSUDA, ET AL.

Application No.: 09/191,277

Filed: November 12, 1998

For: **METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR
AUTOMATIC NETWORK CONFIGURATION**

Art Group: 2155

Examiner: Philip B. Tran

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Commissioner for Patents
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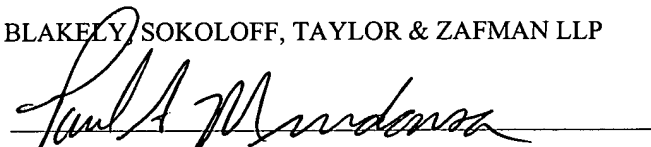
In accordance with 37 C.F. R. § 1.136(a), Applicants for the above-identified application respectfully
Petition the Commissioner for a one (1) month extension of time, extending the period for response to August 09,
2003, from the Office Action dated April 09, 2003. The petition filing fee of \$110.00 and an Amendment and
Response to Office Action are attached.

If it should be determined that a longer extension of time is required to prevent this application from being
abandoned, please charge any additional fees to Deposit Account No. 02-2666. A copy of the Fee Transmittal is
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Respectfully submitted,

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